

PATENT



Docket No.: 053643-0016

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : Customer Number: 20277

Hajime KIYOKAWA, et al. : Confirmation Number: 2915

Application No.: 10/822,695 : Group Art Unit: 1762

Filed: April 13, 2004 : Examiner: Bareford, Katherine A.

For: METHOD FOR PRODUCING CONDUCTIVE PARTICLES

RESPONSE

Mail Stop Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated January 19, 2007, having a three-month shortened statutory period for response set to expire April 19, 2007, reconsideration of the above-identified application is respectfully requested in view of the following remarks.